**Family of Tasks**

**Dividing by a Decimal**

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**Quin says that 4 ÷ .5 = 7. Do you agree or disagree? Why or why not?**

* Quin says that 4 ÷ .5 = 7. Do you agree or disagree? Why or why not? Include evidence in your answer.
* Quin says that 4 ÷ .5 = 7, Tannell thinks that 4 ÷ .5 = 8. Who do you agree with? Write your claim and explain your answer.

*These variations have been revised to include scaffolding to require specific parts in students’ arguments. By requiring evidence we could be pressing the students in the direction to possibly draw a picture representation that could hint at a future topic, such as division with fractions.*